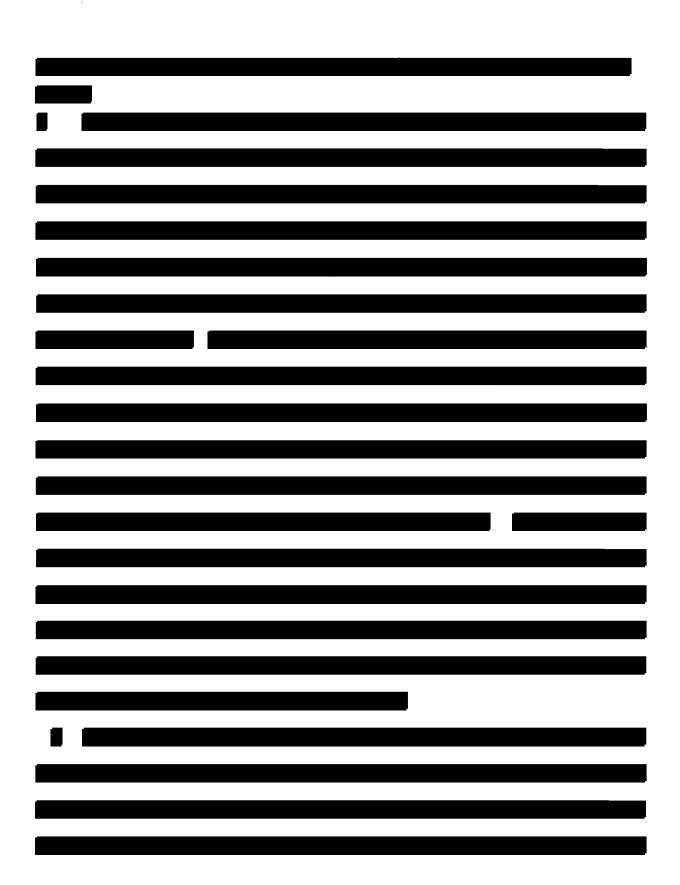
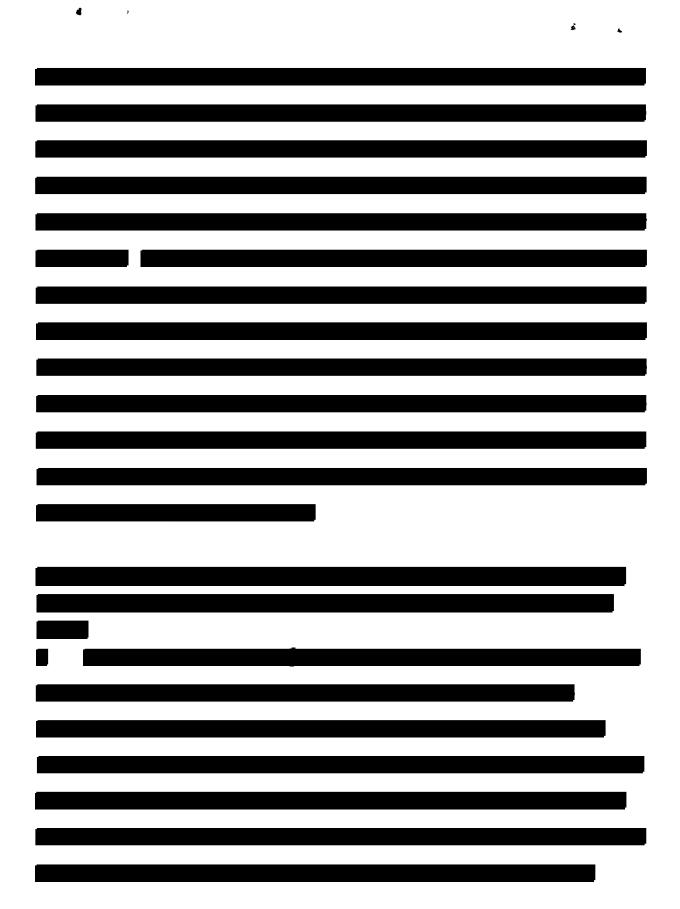
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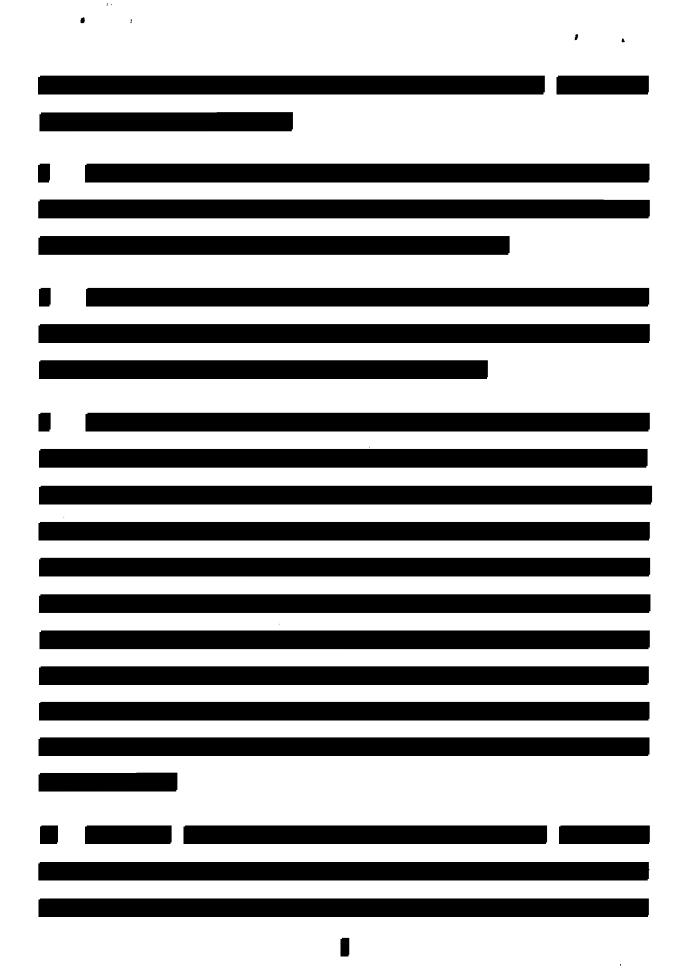
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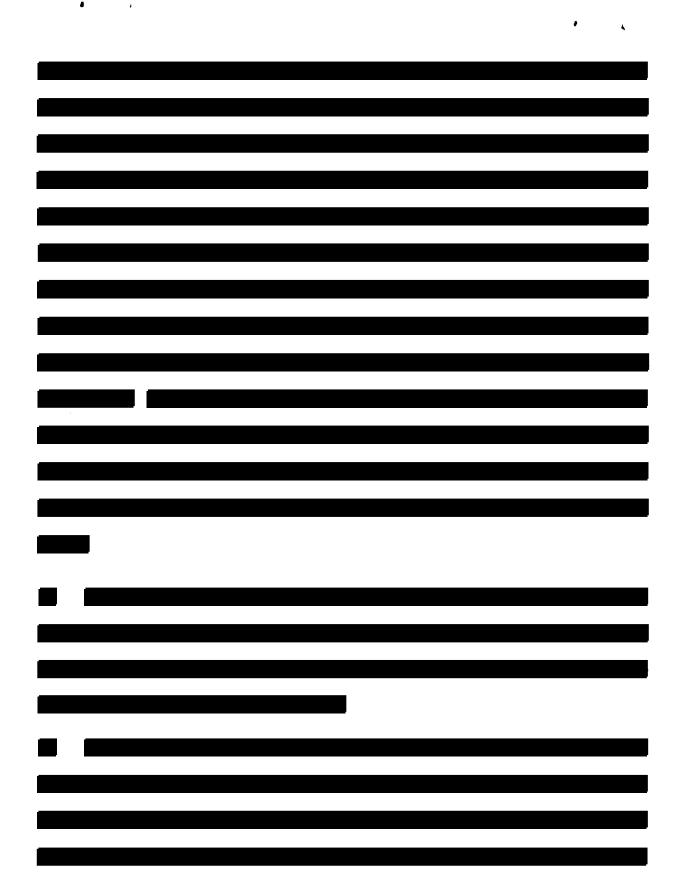
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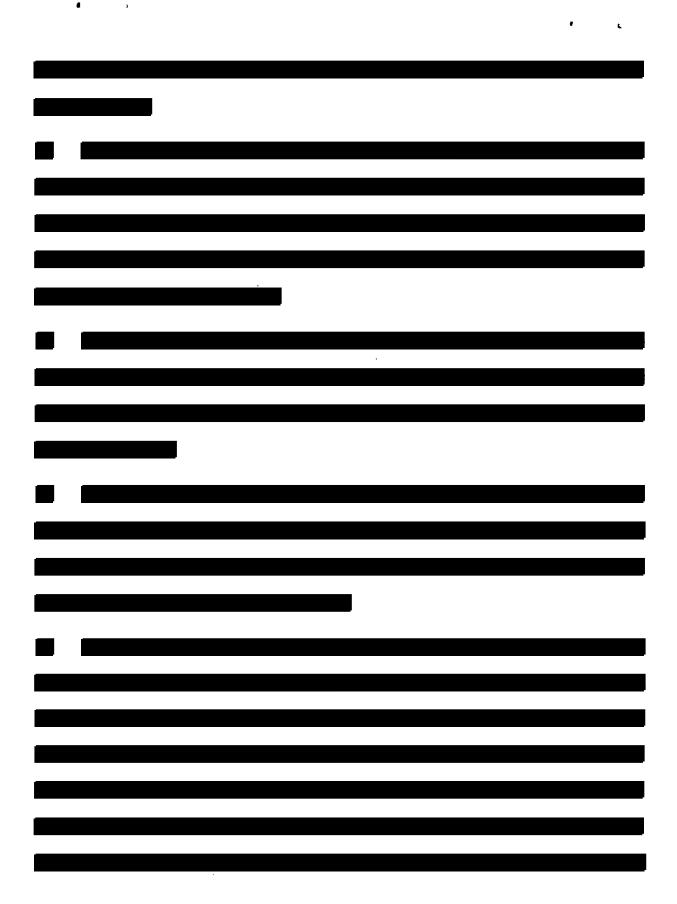




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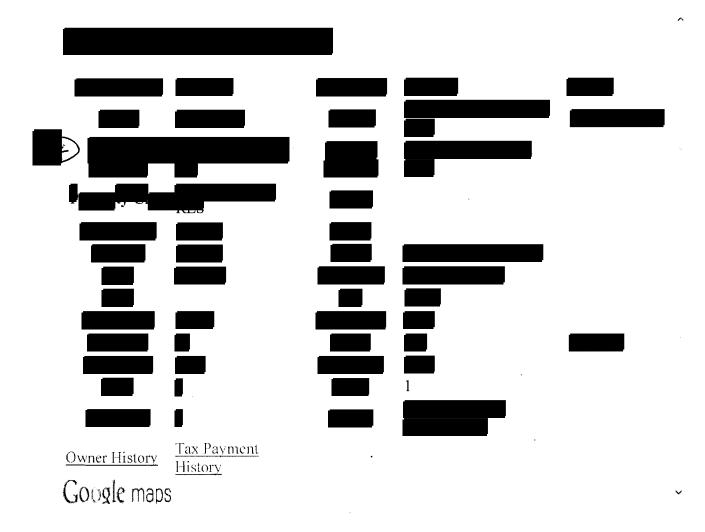




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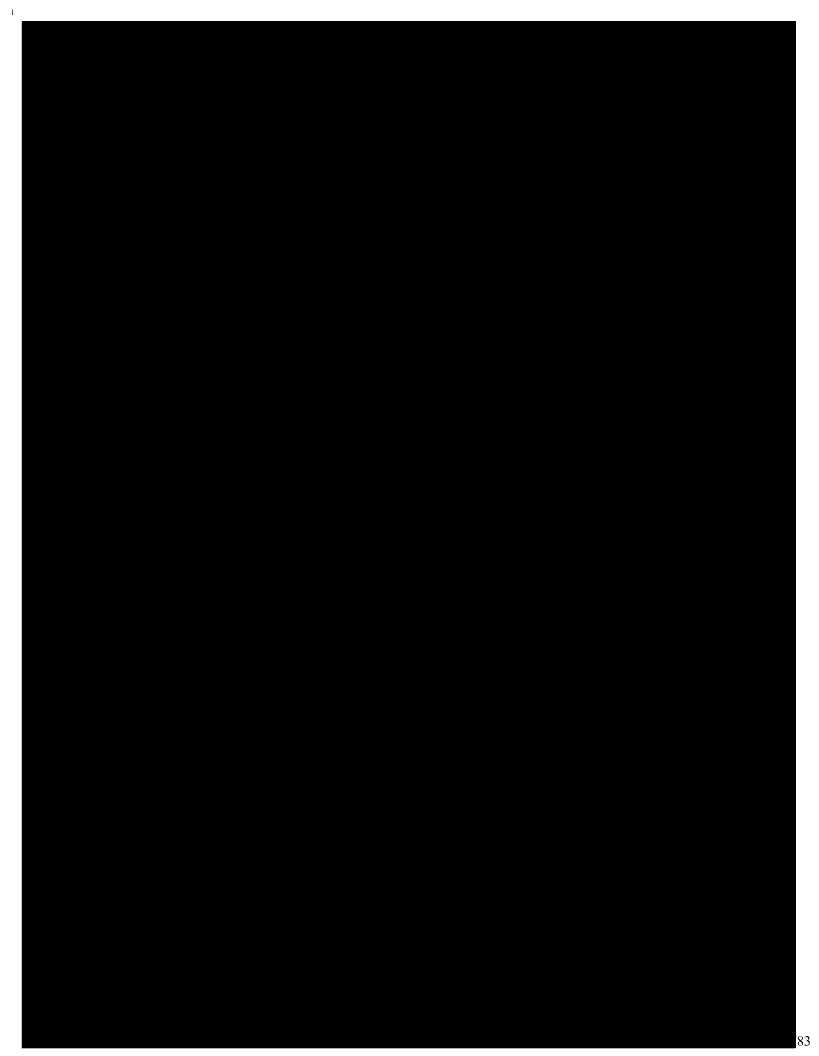


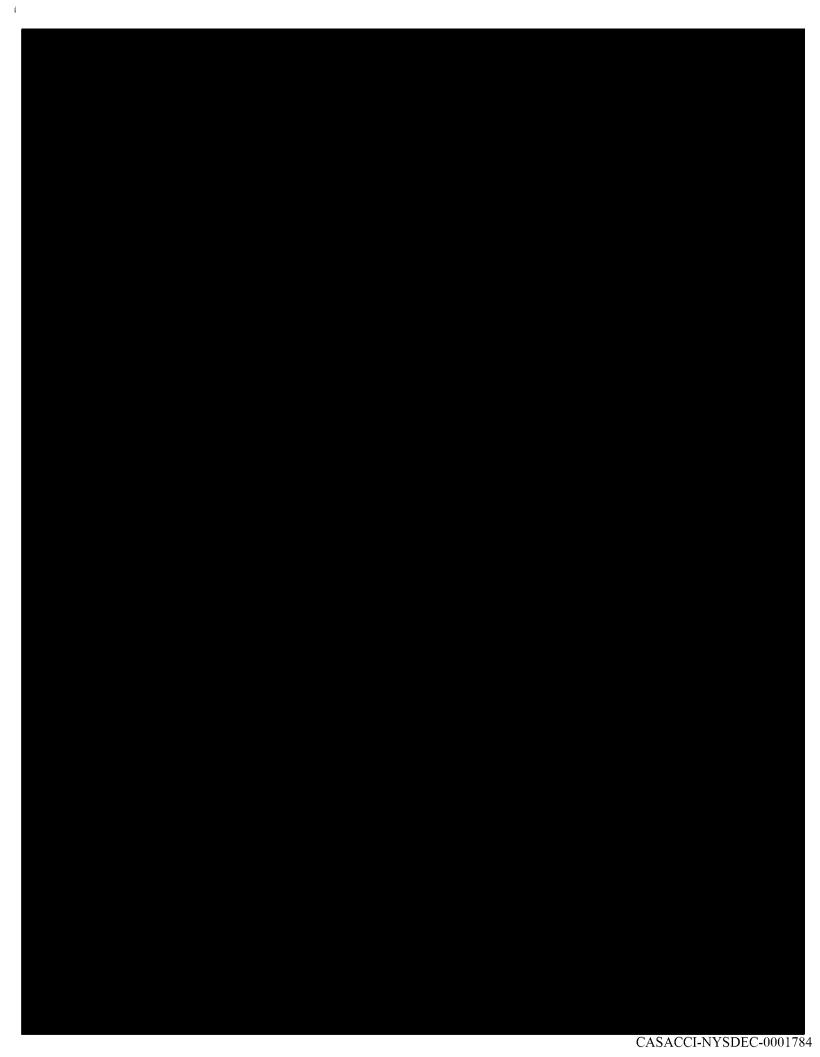


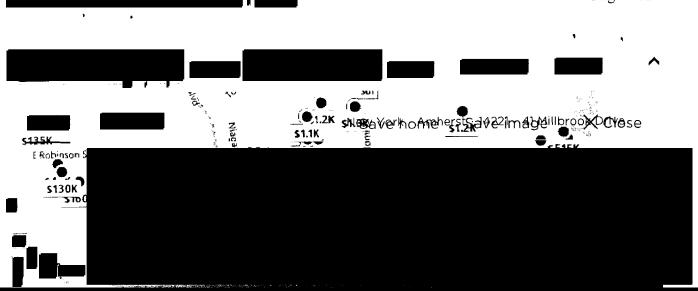


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USFWS Form 3-177 (Revised 03/10) U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE 7. Name of Carrier: 1. Date of Import/Export (mm/dd/yyyy): SOUTH AFRICAN AIRWAYS 01/25/2018 SERVICE 8. Air Waybill or Bill of Lading No.: 2. Import/Export License Number: Master: 083-37134366 A12082 House: 083-37134366 3. Indicate One: 9. Transportation Code: A import import export License No. 4. Port of Clearance: State or Province: NY 10. Bonded Location for Inspection: 5. Purpose Code: N/A-JFK Т **DECLARATION FOR** 11. Number of Cartons Containing Wildlife: 6. Customs Document Number(s): **IMPORTATION** 199582 OR EXPORTATION OF 12. Markings on Cartons Containing FISH OR WILDLIFE Wildlife: Live Caracals 13. (indicate one) 14. (indicate one) U.S. Importer Foreign Importer U.S. Exporter Foreign Exporter CHRISTOPHER DEAN CASACCI 14c. Identifier Number: ID Type: OTHER 15. Customs Broker. Shipping Agent or Freight Forwarder: 15b. Identifier Number; Phone Number / Fax Number / Email Address 15c. Contact Name: Species 16a. Scientific Name 17a. Foreign CITES 18a. Description 19a. Quantity/Units Code 16b. Common Name Permit Num, Code 19b. Total

20. Country 21. Venomous Live Wildlife of Species 17b. U.S. CITES 18b. Source Monetary Value Origin Code Indicator Permit Num. (ISO Code) CARACAL CARACAL 199582 LIV 1.00 NO FECA ZA CARACAL C \$ 3,000 LIV 199582 1.00 NO CARACAL CARACAL CARACAL FECA ZA C \$3,000 Knowingly making false statement in a Declaration for Importation or Exportation of 22. I certify under penalty of perjury that the information furnished is true and correct Fish or Wildlife may subject the declarant to the penalty provided by 18 U.S.C. 1001 Filed Electronically 01/16/2018 - Confirm Num: 2018NY2165664 and 16 U.S.C. 3372(d) Fee Total Paid Electronically: \$279.00 Action/Comments: Dec Control Num: 2018293873 3 U FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE S Ν Electronic Filing T T Ε E Wildlife Declared D S Wildlife Inspected: Full Date: 01/25/2018 Check Number: 1021 Amount: \$279 Service K-9 Utilized: No Inspected By: Scully, WI0472

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| Wildlife          | Declared   |  | T                                       | CLEAF  | RED 🕆   | <i>Ο</i> ι<br>∞   |  |  |
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| Wildlife          | Declared  |                                   | E<br>D                   |   | E<br>S                             | 00                            |
| Wildlife          | Inspected: Full   |                                   | D                        | Date: 06/06/2018  | <b>ა</b>                           | <b>~</b>                      |
|                   | M-9 Utilized: No  |                                   |                          |   |                                    | 7                             |
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#### New York State Department of Environmental Conservation



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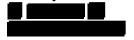
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License#: 1795

License Type: License to Collect or Possess - Education/Exhibition

Applicant: Christopher D Casacci

Owner ID: 1778188



Department has denied your license application for the following reason(s):

1) New York State law/regulation does not authorize possession of the species for the requested activity.

(Please note: Your original application is enclosed)

#### Additional Information:

The Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC or Department) has determined that possession of certain species of animals, including caracals (*Caracal caracal*), presents a danger to the health or welfare of the people of the State, as well as to indigenous fish and wildlife populations.

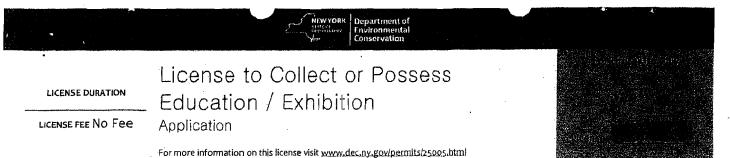
Consistent with and pursuant to the provisions of Environmental Conservation Law §§11-0303, 11-0305, and 11-0511, the Department will not be able to issue you a license to possess or exhibit caracals in New York State. Thank you.

**Agency Contact:** 

TERESA RUIZ







STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Environmental Conservation Law Section 11-0515 (1) and 6 NYCRR Part 175.

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Please provide the common name, scientific name (Genus species) and the total number, male and/or female, of the species you wish to collect or possess. NOTE: Endangered or Threatened Species may NOT be included on this application. Common Name Scientific Name Female Caracal Caracal Caracal 1 Species WILL NOT BE collected from the wild in NYS Check the appropriate category Species **WILL'BE** collected from the wild in NYS If you are applying for a license to possess species which will not be collected from the wild in New York, describe how and from where you will obtain the species. Please include the name, address, telephone number and License Name and Number of the person who legally possesses the species you wish to obtain. (Rehabilitation animals require a letter from a veterinarian stating the requested wildlife is permanently disabled and non-releasable and if applicable their license number and type). If more space is needed, attach additional sheets. Name of Dealer or Rehabilitator & Telephone Number State and Federal License # Species Caracal N/A CITES Registered Import Describe, in detail, the location, length of possession and method(s) you will use to collect the species you listed in this application. Include the type and number of traps, type and length of nets, etc. Individuals conducting activities on lands administered by the State or on conservation easement lands shall apply for and receive a Temporary Revocable Permit authorizing the use of those lands for such purpose prior to conducting activities. The application for a Temporary Revocable Permit can be found at: http://www.dec.ny.gov/docs/lands\_forests\_pdf/trpappfrm.pdf Describe the humane measures you will employ to ensure humane treatment for the animal(s). List the dates and locations where the listed species will be exhibited, or check the box for static year round exhibit. Dates Location Check TBD Williamsville School District (Heim Elementary/Middle) box if TBD Nickel City Exotics Outreach Events animals exhibited at permanent facility year round Describe the housing and/or holding facilities that you will provide for the animal(s) to ensure safe captive conditions and prevent direct contact with the public at all times. If more space is needed, attach additional sheets.

Do you wish to designate agent(s) under your license to assist you in the care of listed animals? If YES, please complete designated agent form.

Do you possess valid State and/or Federal licenses or permits which are required for your proposed activity? If YES, please attach photocopies of

relevant licenses or permits to the application.

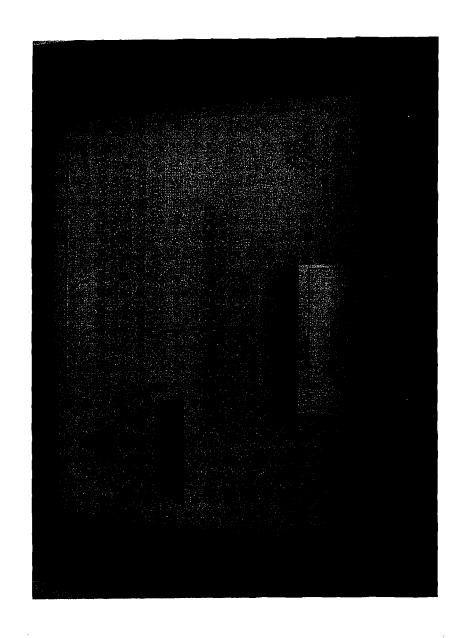
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| REQUIRED DOCUMENT(S)  (must be submitted with your application)  Please attached photocopies of relevant licenses or permits to the application.                                    | APPLICATION CHECKLIST (before sending this application, please verify the following)  All application fields/sections marked with an asterisk (*) are completes                   |
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|   | You signed and dated below  |
| *NOTICE: Pursuant to ECL Section 3-0301(2)(Q), false statements made on this State Penal Law.   | 'application are punishable in accordance to Section 210.45 of the New York  11/22/2017   |
| Applicant's Signature   | Date  |
| MAIL YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION AND REQUIRED DOCUMENT(S) TO:  NYS Department of Environmental Conservation  Special Licenses Unit · 5th Floor  62S Broadway, Albany, New York 12233 | For questions or concerns, please contact us<br>Phone: (518) 402-8985 · Fax: (518) 402-8925<br>Email: <u>SpecialLicenses@dec.ny.gov</u><br>Website: <u>www.dec.ny.gov/63.html</u> |

Please allow 45 days for DEC to review and process your application. Incomplete or vague applications will be returned and delay the processing of your permit.





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June 5, 2009

Sincerely,

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#### New York State Department of Environmental Conservation



# NOTICE OF APPLICATION/LICENSE DENIAL This is NOT a License

Date: 12/19/2017

License#: 1798

License Type: License to Collect or Possess - Education/Exhibition

Applicant: Christopher D Casacci

Owner ID: 1778188

Department has denied your license application for the following reason(s):

1) A Department license is not required for the species or activity requested.

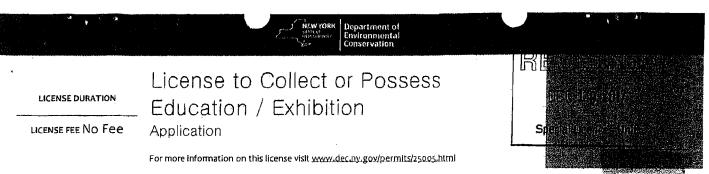
(Please note: Your original application is enclosed)

Additional Information:

A Department issued license is not required for possession of a caracal (Caracal caracal). Only a USDA Class C Exhibitor's license is required for possession of this species.

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TERESA RUIZ



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DEC Agent,

Please note that the animal in question will be neutered, and thus cannot breed with wild populations, and will not interact with NYS wildlife in any capacity. Further, the animal is a hybrid with a domestic cat, and is genetically sterile. Caracats are only slightly larger than a standard domestic cat and have behaviors similar to a small dog. The cat will be tame, bottle fed, and fully declawed by a licensed veterinarian. As such, even if escaped, it poses less threat to NYS wildlife than a normal cat. In addition, their smaller size makes them comparable to a domestic cat such as a Maine Coone. They are far less of a public threat than a German Sheppard or any standard medium size dog breed.

If, for some reason, your tendency is towards a denial, please advise stipulations under which the animal will be allowed. If the license is approved, I will follow whatever stipulations are set forth. As is I believe this application to be fully compliant with all aspects of ECL codes 11-0303, 11-0305, and 11-0511.

Thank You

Christopher Casacci

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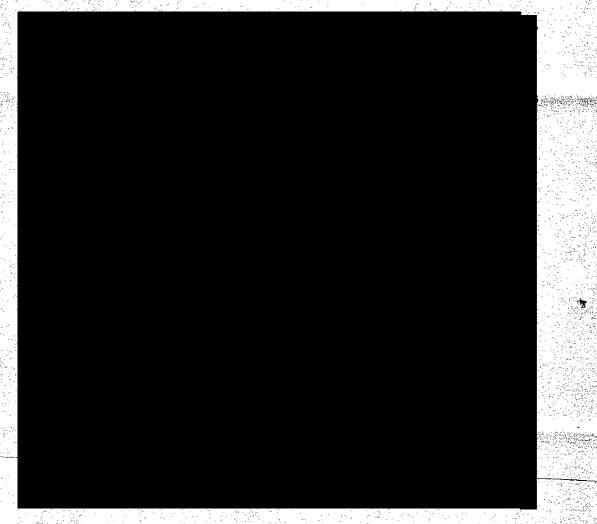
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Laura Wade

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June 5, 2009

Dear FDA official,



Sincerely,

Laura Wade, DVM, Dipl. ABVP (Avian)

LOCATED AT: Broadway Veterinary Clinic, PC • 5915 Broadway • Lancaster, NY 14086 P: (716) 651-0144 • F: (716) 681-4585 • BuffaloBirdNerd@gmail.com



#### United States Department of Agriculture

**Animal and Plant** Health Inspection Service

June 25, 2018

**Animal Care** Western Region

Joseph E. Therrien NYSDEC Special Licenses Unit New York State Department Environmental Conservation 625 Broadway, Fifth Floor

2150 Centre Avenue Building B, 3W11 Fort Collins, CO 80526

Albany, NY 12233

Phone: 970/494-7478

Dear Mr. Therrien:

Per your request of June 22, 2018, please find the pre-license inspection for Christopher D. Casacci, #321133.

These documents are provided for your official use only. They are not to be released to the public without prior approval from this office or the USDA Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Office.

Please feel free to contact our office at 970-494-7478 if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Gibbens Director, Animal Welfare Operations USDA APHIS Animal Care

Cc: Tonya Hadjis, SACS



#### NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

Division of Fish and Wildlife, Special Licenses Unit 625 Broadway, Fifth Floor, Albany, New York 12233-4752 P: (518) 402-8985 | F: (518) 402-8925 www.dec.ny.gov

June 22, 2018

Tonya Hadjis, DVW Supervisory Animal Care Specialist USDA/APHIS/Animal Care 920 Main Campus Drive Suite 200 Raleigh, NC 27606-5210

Dear Ms. Hadjis,

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, Division of Fish and Wildlife is requesting a copy of the recent pre-license inspection report conducted by USDA for the following facility/Address:

Christopher D. Casacci



Mr. Casacci has recently applied to our Department for licensing and we are requesting this information as part of our review.

Thank you for any information you may provide. Please contact me at 518-402-8987 or by email at joseph.therrien@dec.ny.gov if you need any additional information from our office.

Sincerely,

Joseph E. Therrien

NYSDEC Special Licenses Unit

#### **Inspection Report**

| Exotic Cat Hun | nane Society Llc             | Customer ID:          | 321133                   |
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United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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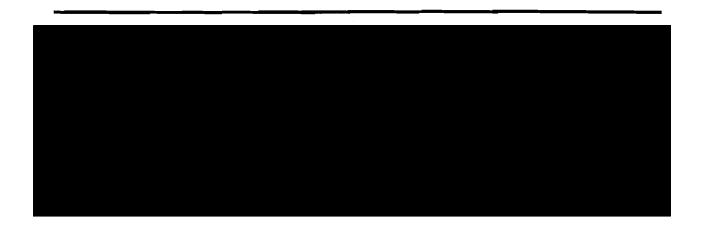


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ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR 6003

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STATE OF NEW YORK TOWN JUSTICE COURT TOWN OF AMHERST

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| Investigator Robert J. Peinkofer for a   |                |
| Search Warrant to search the premises of | SEARCH WARRANT |
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Reasonable cause having been established that property of the kind and character described in CPL 690.10 sub 2. (i.e.), property that is unlawfully possessed and CPL 690.10 sub 4 (i.e.), property that constitutes evidence or tends to demonstrate that an offense was committed in New York, can be found at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. More particularly, there is reasonable cause to believe that property, illegally possessed, including six (6) Servals, and two (2) Caracals can be found at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. All contrary to ECL §11-0512-1. a., there is also reasonable cause to believe that property which will constitute evidence of an offense will also be found at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

#### YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO:

- 1. Enter and search the above premises and seize six (6) Serval kittens and two (2) Caracal kittens and any other illegally possessed regulated wild animals.
- 2. Seize business records tending to demonstrate the offense of the harboring, sale, barter, transfer, exchange or importation of any wild animal for use as a pet. Those business records to include, but not be limited to, paper or electronic, receipts, correspondence, invoices, check book registers, and bank statements.

- 3. Document by photograph, drawings, and other means, any items seized, and directing that an inventory of such seized materials be brought before this Court; and for such other and further relief as this Court may deem proper.
- 4. To enter and search the premises between the hours of 6:00 A.M. and 9:00 P.M. and to remain until the work is completed.

This warrant must be executed not more than ten days after the date of its issuance and the warrant and an inventory of the property seized pursuant thereto must be returned to this Court without unnecessary delay.

DATED: Amherst, New York

July 3, 2018 at 10 am o'clock

HONORABLE KARA A. BUSCAGLIA

AMHERST TOWN JUSTICE

#### STATE OF NEW YORK TOWN JUSTICE COURT TOWN OF AMHERST

#### HONORABLE KARA A. BUSCAGLIA TOWN JUSTICE TOWN OF AMHERST COUNTY OF ERIE

In the matter of the application by Investigator Robert J. Peinkofer for a Search Warrant to search the premises of

#### SEARCH WARRANT RETURN

I have executed the within Search Warrant as I am herein commanded on the fifth day of July 2018, by making a search in the premise designated in the said search warrant for the property therein described, and find of the said property the articles described in the attached property custody report.

Dated: Amherst, New York

10th day of July 2018

Inv. Robert Peinkofer

*Investigator Robert Peinkofer*, the officer by whom the Search Warrant was executed, do swear that the attached property custody reports contain a true detailed account of all property taken by me on this Search Warrant.

Pursuant to Section 690.05 through 690.55 of the Criminal Procedure Law, the temporary retention of said property being deemed necessary in the furtherance of justice. I direct that said property, with the exception of the live animals, be held in custody of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation which executed the Search Warrant, subject to the Order of this Court or of any other Courts in which the offense can be tried. I direct that the live animals be held in custody of the Safe Haven Wildlife Sanctuary of 400 Nevada Route 400, PO Box 184, Imlay, NV and Turpentine Creek Wildlife Refuge of 239 Turpentine Creek Lane, Eureka Springs, AR.

Dated: Amherst, New York

10th day of July 2018.

HON. KARA A. BUSCAGLIA

Robert Peinkofer

#### Property Custody Report Search Warrant Seizure

#### Live Animals

- 1. Serval with Micro Chip # 945000001866342
- 2. Serval with Micro Chip # 945000001866347
- 3. F-1 Savanah with Micro Chip # 985112004385137
- 4. Serval with Micro Chip # 945000001866341
- 5. Serval with Micro Chip # 945000001866350
- 6. Male Caracal with Micro Chip # 945000001963681
- 7. Female Caracal with Micro Chip # 945000001963690

#### **Business Records**

- 1. Black Binder business with records.
- 2. Loose documents with regulations.
- 3. Loose documents, Vet 13, 11s & air waybill.
- 4. Loose documents, flight detail, Bank Info & Vet bills.
- 5. IRS, Department of State, & Court Documents relating to Humane Society.
- 6. Folder with "Northwest IRS details.
- 7. Invoice & care check list.

#### Computer Files

1. Copy of computer files from HP Pavilion Lap Top.